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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Hao-Wen CHIU et al.

Confirmation No. 5884

Serial No. 10/015,587

Group 1734

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Examiner Jerry Lorengo

MOLD AND A METHOD OF HOT-FORMING
A THERMOPLASTIC LENS

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants thank the Examiner for allowing the application.

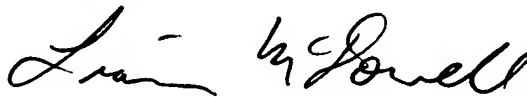
In response to the Reasons for Allowance, applicants note that GRENDOL 4,541,534 does not disclose a sheath provided with intrinsic and both-way heat transfer means as recited in claim 13. Elements 54 and 55 noted in the Official Action as the sheath within which two dies slide do not contain intrinsic heat transfer means. Rather, GRENDOL teaches heating rods 46 which are disposed in blocks 41, 42. These blocks 41, 42 are not the sheath within which the dies slide.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any

overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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